

Greetings:

I pay for a subscription to receive satellite radio in my automobile. The reason I am willing to do so is that free AM and FM programming does not meet my needs; e.g. news and weather anytime I choose/need them and many commercial free choices of entertainment, all with digital quality reception. If commercial AM and FM broadcasters offered the same level/quality of service, I would subscribe to them too.

NAB's petition 04-160 is designed to stifle competition from satellite radio; I oppose it and respectfully ask that you reject it.

Regards, elio